

Pending Claims and Support:

The pending claims provide for claims as amended in Applicant's response filed on July 26, 2006 and amendments in that response have been executed in the pending claims. Amendments as presented in Applicant's response filed on March 27, 2008 were not entered, so they do not appear in the pending claims unless identified as new amendments. The Final Rejection mailed on September 28, 2006 suggested that Claim 10 be canceled because it was duplicative of Claim 1 as amended to cover elected species. Claim 10 is canceled.

Claim 1 was amended to remove non-elected subject matter.

Claims 2 to 8, 14 to 16, and 31 were amended to include a pharmaceutically acceptable salt. Support for this amended is found at least on page 4, line 10.

Claims 9, 11 to 13, and 17 to 24 are drawn to nonelected subject matter. They had previously been withdrawn. They are now canceled. Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications on this canceled subject matter.

Claims 25 to 30 and 32 have been canceled to facilitate prosecution. Applicant does not agree with the rejection, and reserves the right to file a subsequent application on the canceled subject matter.

To advance prosecution, Applicant has amended the claims and reserves the right to file any subsequent application on canceled/deleted subject matter. The amendments do not add new subject matter. Applicant believes that the amended claims address the pending rejection. Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of said rejection.

Conclusion

Applicant believes that the claims are in order for allowance, early notice of which is requested. If Examiner has any questions concerning this application, Examiner is invited to contact the below-signed attorney. A fee is due for the Request for Continued Examination. Please charge any payment or credit any overpayment to Charge Account 16-1445.

Respectfully submitted,

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